



STATE OF TENNESSEE
RFP # 317.03-154-07
AMENDMENT # 1

November 16, 2007

THE SUBJECT RFP IS HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS.

A. The following RFP Schedule of Events updates or confirms scheduled RFP dates.

EVENT	TIME	DATE	UPDATED / CONFIRMED
1. State Issues RFP		October 18, 2007	CONFIRMED
2. State Files E-Rate form 470		October 19, 2007	CONFIRMED
3. Disability Accommodation Request Deadline		October 26, 2007	CONFIRMED
4. Pre-proposal Conference	2:00 p.m.	November 2, 2007	CONFIRMED
5. Notice of Intent to Propose Deadline		November 9, 2007	CONFIRMED
6. Written Comments Deadline		November 19, 2007	CONFIRMED
7. State Responds to Written Comments		December 21, 2007	CONFIRMED
8. Proposal Deadline	2:00 p.m.	March 3, 2008	CONFIRMED
9. State Completes Technical Proposal Evaluations		March 28, 2008	CONFIRMED
10. State Opens Cost Proposals & Calculates Scores	9:00 a.m.	April 4, 2008	CONFIRMED
11. State Issues Evaluation Notice & Opens RFP Files for Public Inspection	9:00 a.m.	April 11, 2008	CONFIRMED
12. Contract Signing		April 23, 2008	CONFIRMED
13. Contract Signature Deadline		May 15, 2008	CONFIRMED
14. Performance Bond Deadline		June 8, 2008	CONFIRMED
15. Contract Start Date		June 9, 2008	CONFIRMED

B. INFORMATIONAL NOTE #1

Some vendors have learned about this RFP through an E-Rate Form 470, which references the State's website where the vendors will find the Request for Proposals for Network Tennessee – NetTN, RFP # 317.03-154-07. All vendors interested in submitting a proposal must familiarize themselves with this RFP and must follow the procurement process and rules contained therein, including, but not limited to, the following:

1. Regardless of any contact names that may be listed on Form 470, all communications pertaining to the NetTN RFP must be directed to the RFP Coordinator, Travis Johnson, at the address give in RFP Section 1.5.1.1.

2. The schedule that will govern the NetTN RFP procurement process is contained in RFP Section 2. The State reserves the right to amend this schedule as it deems necessary.
3. The process for submitting a proposal for NetTN is detailed in the above-referenced RFP. No proposals for NetTN may be submitted outside of this process.
4. All proposals must conform to the rules for proposal construction and submission detailed in the RFP. For example, proposals may **NOT** be submitted via email (RFP Section 3.1.8). If a proposer believes that it has submitted a proposal in error, the proposer may retract the proposal according to the process described in RFP Section 4.11.
5. Vendors may not select particular services listed on Form 470 and submit a proposal for only those services (RFP Section 3.2.6). All NetTN proposals should address all requirements listed in the RFP. However, vendors may choose to subcontract with a prime proposer, as long as the proposal submitted by the prime proposer addresses all of the RFP requirements.